

**Supporting Information for**

**Variable depths of magma genesis in Eastern Asia inferred  
from teleseismic P wave attenuation**

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## 26 Introduction

27 This supporting information contains an F-test on the two-trend regressions of velocity versus  
28 attenuation and an additional check on the effect of  $\Delta t^*$  uncertainty. To confirm that the fit of  
29 velocity and attenuation using a two-trend model is robust, we make an F-test in supplementary  
30 Section 1 and show the results in Figure S1. We make a addition check to show the effect of  $\Delta t^*$   
31 uncertainty on the estimation of absolute Qp values in supplementary Section 2 and show the  
32 results in Figure S2.

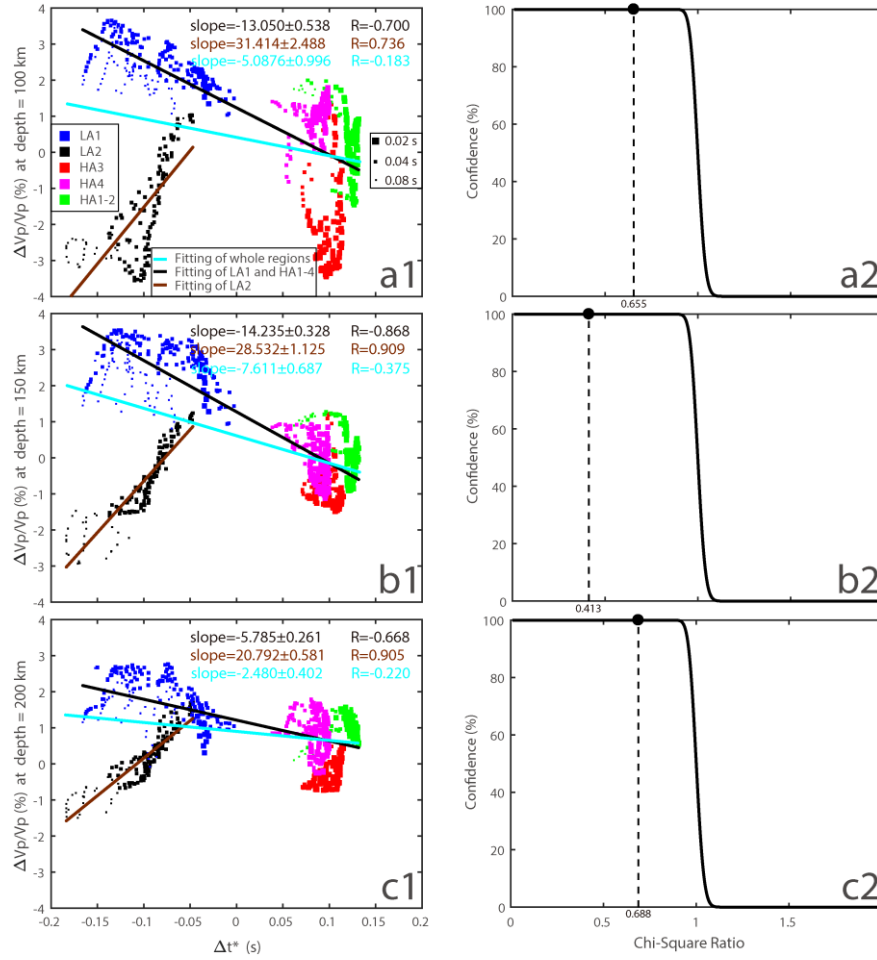
### 33 Section 1. F-test on the two-trend regressions of velocity versus attenuation.

34 As mentioned in Section 4 of the main text, we make an F-test to confirm that the two-trend  
35 relation between velocity and attenuation across the study area is robust. We first linearly fit all  
36 the points from all the regions, and then fit the points from LA2 and from other regions separately.  
37 We calculate chi-square values of each regression, respectively:

$$38 \quad \text{Chi\_square} = \sum \frac{(\text{Observation} - \text{Prediction})^2}{\text{sig}^2} \quad (1)$$

39 The 'sig' represents the uncertainty. We make a ration between the chi-square values of two\_trend  
40 regression and one\_trend regression, and then use F cumulative distribution function to calculate  
41 the confidence as:

$$42 \quad \text{Confidence} = 1 - F\left(\frac{\text{Chi\_square\_two\_trend}}{\text{Chi\_square\_one\_trend}}\right) \quad (2)$$



#### Supplementary Figure S1. F-test on the two-trend regressions of velocity versus attenuation.

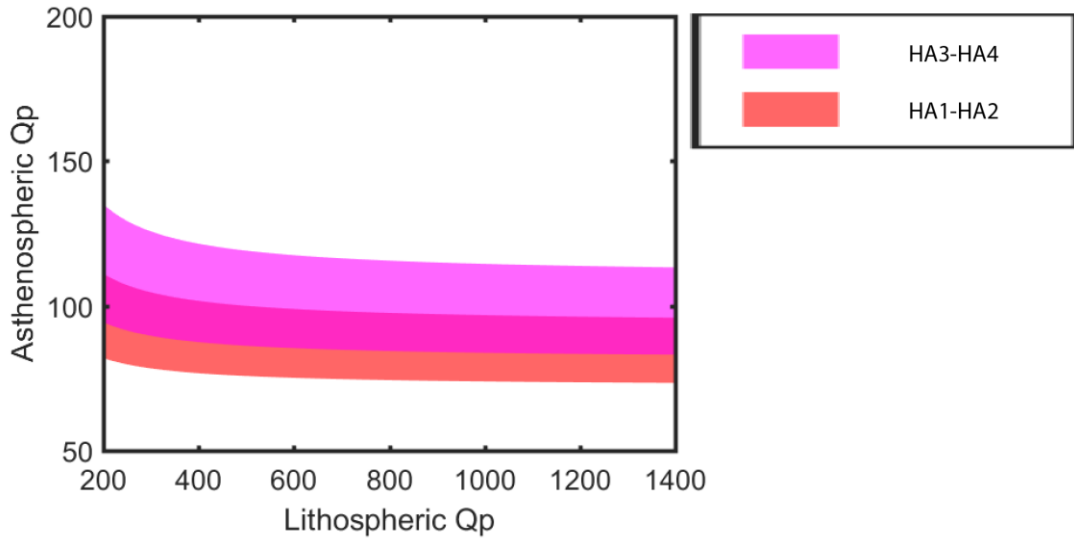
Panels a1, b1, and c1 are similar with Fig. 8 in the main text. Blue, black, red, pink, and green squares denote samples from LA1, LA2, HA3, HA4, and HA1-2 (HA1 & HA2) regions. The size of squares are scaled by the inverse of the uncertainty of  $\Delta t^*$  values. Cyan lines represent linear regression results using samples from all the regions, with correlation coefficients and slopes shown as cyan words on the top right corner. Black lines represent linear regression results using samples from all the regions except for LA2, with correlation coefficients and slopes shown as black words on the top right corner. Brown lines represent linear regression results using samples from LA2, with correlation coefficients and slopes shown as brown words on the top right corner.

All the regressions are weighted by the uncertainty of  $\Delta t^*$  results in this study. Panels a2, b2, and c2 show the F-test results of the regressions at each depth.

As shown in Fig. S1, one-trend fit throughout points from all the regions has much lower correlation coefficients. The F-test results suggest that the attenuation and velocity across the study area are better fitted by a two-trend model than by a single one-trend model with 100% confidence at depths of 100, 150, and 200 km.

#### Section 2. Addition check on the effect of $\Delta t^*$ uncertainty.

60 As mentioned in Section 4 of the main text, we make another test to check on the effect of  
 61 the uncertainties of  $\Delta t^*$  in LA1. In this case, we keep the results as they are in the main text and  
 62 set up the  $\Delta t^*$  value of LA1 to -0.1 s. We then estimate possible asthenospheric Qp values in HA  
 63 regions similarly as in Section 3.3 of the main text.



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65 **Supplementary Figure S2. Additional test on the calculation of Qp values in HA regions.** This  
 66 figure shows the range of Qp values beneath HA regions assuming a 200 km lithosphere and  $\Delta t^*$   
 67 of -0.1 s for LA1 as a reference.

68 As shown in Fig. S2, the asthenospheric Qp values in HA regions span from 70 to 140, if setting  
 69 up the  $\Delta t^*$  in LA1 to an extremely minimum value of -0.1 s. These values are slightly lower than  
 70 in the main text, while still approaching the globally averaged values. This test suggests that our  
 71 conclusion that the asthenosphere beneath the HA regions do not require unusual conditions is  
 72 robust against the  $\Delta t^*$  uncertainties.

73 **Supplementary Data Sets S1.** There are two folders in the Data Sets S1. Observed and  
 74 synthetic waveforms which are normalized are in the folder named 'Waveform matching result'. In  
 75 this folder, each .mat file denotes each event and consists of the event information ('eventData'),  
 76 observed traces ('Traces.data'), and synthetic waveforms ('ts\_run.data') with relative attenuation  
 77 measurements ('ts\_run.tStar\_WF'). The 2-D  $\Delta t^*$  model and model standard deviation for plotting  
 78 are included in the folder named 'model for plotting'.